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UNDER SEAL

Honorable Richard D. Bennett
U.S. District Court Judge
U.S. District Court for the District of Maryland
101 West Lombard Street
Baltimore, MD 21201

Re: *United States v. Al Tariq Smith*, No. RDB-23-126 – Response to
Government’s Motion for Reconsideration of Court’s Limitation on the
Admission of Defendant’s Prior Criminal Record (ECF 117)

Dear Judge Bennett:

Via ECF 107, the Defense has preserved its objection to the Government’s Motion for Reconsideration of Court’s Limitation on the Admission of Defendant’s Prior Criminal Record (ECF 117). The Defense will not challenge the validity of Mr. Smith’s conviction and sentence in the exhibit the Court has already ruled admissible at trial or Mr. Smith’s identity as the recipient of that conviction and sentence. The introduction of any additional information is inadmissible under Federal Rule of Evidence 403. The Defense does not wish to file any further response.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/

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